

Listing of Claims:

Claims 1-29 (canceled)

Claim 30 (new): An alignable label form capable of being applied to the edge of a folder comprising:

a label having a long and short dimension;

a backing member having first and second sides, said first side being applied to the label and having a split line along the long dimension; and

a transparent laminate removably attached to the second side of the backing member; the label and the transparent laminate being independently removable from the backing member;

the backing member including a first section and a second section separated by the split line;

the label and the transparent laminate each straddling the split line in the long dimension;

wherein the label and the transparent laminate adhere to different sections of the backing member when the backing member is separated along the split line;

so that the label may be applied to both sides of the folder, generally along the split line.

Claim 31 (new): The label form of claim 30, wherein the label has a first and second half capable of being printed on, generally along the split line, and wherein the label may be applied to the edge of the folder so that each half is affixable to each side of the folder.

Claim 32 (new): An alignable label form comprising:

a label having a central split line;

a backing member applied to the label and having a split line;

an alignment section surrounding at least part of the label and separable therefrom, the alignment section including an edge shaped generally to conform to an edge of a folder; wherein when one portion of the backing member is removed, one half of the label is exposed along with the shaped edge so that the label may be maintained in alignment with the folder by engagement of the shaped section with the edge of the folder, while the exposed side of the label is affixed to the folder.

Claim 33 (new): The label form of claim 32, wherein the shaped section is proximate at least one end of the label.

Claim 34 (new): A method of applying a label form to the edge of a folder, the label form having a label and an alignment section surrounding at least part of the label, comprising:

removing a label from a backing member by separating the backing member along a split line;

aligning a shaped edge of the alignment section to a like edge of the folder;

applying the label to the edge of the folder;

peeling off the backing member along the split line; and

folding the label over the edge of the folder.

Claim 35 (new): The method of claim 34, wherein the label includes a top side adapted for being printed on.